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SUBJ: SYRIAN JEWRY: VISIT OF CYRUS ABBE AND KAREN STAHL

1. ON JULY 21 TOUTAH STOPPED BY EMBASSY ACCOMPANIED BY CYRUS ABBE AND KAREN STAHL. ABBE CLAIMED TO BE CLOSE FRIEND AND ASSOCIATE OF SHALOM SENT TO SYRIA TO FOLLOW UP ON SHALOM'S WORK AND PREPARE GIRLS FOR TRAVEL TO U.S. HE WAS EVASIVE AS TO WHETHER HE BELONGED TO ANY PARTICULAR ORGANIZATION, MERELY STATING THAT FOR PURPOSES THIS VISIT HE WAS NOT. STAHL CLAIMED TO BE STUDENT IN EGYPT MAKING SHORT TOURISTIC VISIT TO DAMASCUS. BOTH SAID THAT FOR RELIGIOUS REASONS THEY WOULD BE STAYING WITH FAMILIES IN COMMUNITY RATHER THAN AT HOTELS.

2. IF YOU FIND SUITABLE OCCASION TO DO SO, WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR CHECKING ABBE'S CREDENTIALS WITH SHALOM. SHALOM MADE NO MENTION OF HIM TO US.

3. ACKMAN PASSED ON TO US JULY 20 THAT SHALOM HAD TOLD HIM TO BE PREPARED FOR TV COVERAGE OF HIS ARRIVAL BACK IN U.S.
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